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FROM:

Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.

Director and Health Officer

SUBJECT:

POINT OF DISTRIBUTION (POD) FLU IMMUNIZATION OUTREACH

This is to inform you of special seasonal flu outreach activities that have been added to the Department of Public Health's (DPH) County-wide efforts this year. In November, DPH is collaborating with its community partners to provide flu immunizations using streamlined operations that would be used during a public health emergency (known as Points of Distribution or PODs). These events will serve a dual purpose of providing needed flu vaccine to our communities, and the opportunity for DPH and partners to work together to exercise our emergency response capabilities. The flu PODs, which are also included in DPH's master flu clinic schedule at http://www.lapublichealth.org/ip/flu/2007-2008, will be conducted at the following locations:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Area</u>	Location	Hours of Operation
11/2/07	SPA 3	Live Oak Park Community Center 10144 Bogue St Temple City, CA 91780	8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
11/3/07	SPA 2	A.E. Wright Middle School 4029 Las Virgenes Rd Calabasas, CA 91302	9:00 a.m. – 12 noon
11/3/07	SPA 7	Rosewood Park Community Center 5600 Harbor Ave. Commerce, CA 90040	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Area</u>	Location	Hours of Operation
11/3/07	SPA 8	Wilson Park 2200 Crenshaw Blvd Torrance, CA 90503	10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
11/4/07	SPA 4	Precious Blood Catholic Church 435 S. Occidental Blvd Los Angeles, CA 90057	8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
11/8/07	SPA 5	Westchester Senior Center 8740 Lincoln Blvd Los Angeles, CA 90045	9:00 a.m. – 12 noon
11/16/07	SPA 2	College of the Canyons 26455 Rockwell Canyon Road Santa Clarita, CA 91355	9:30 a.m. – 12 noon

We would like to invite you and your staff to come and observe any of the events listed above. If you would like to attend, have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

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